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## Predictions Are Made Silver To Go To \$1.29

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It was pointed out, however, that the delivery price for silver, based on the amount of silver in the United States silver dollar, was \$1.29 an ounce. Furthermore, mining experts here said there were many small mining properties in the western United States which could not be profitably operated with silver much under a dollar an ounce, and they thought the price from the silver mining states for higher prices could scarcely be expected to state until silver goes within striking distance of the statutory price.

WATCH FOR INFLATION  
Thus far, monetary experts said the silver programme was not particularly inflationary, but they saw in it distinctly inflationary possibilities if vigorously pursued over a considerable period.

Feasible repurchases from abroad were awaited with interest.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The Senate agriculture committee this morning approved the "Theodore Roosevelt silver-to-one dollar purchase bill" designed to inflate United States currency and speed the attainment of a metallic currency reserve of one part silver and three parts gold.

The committee's action, taken without a recorded vote, spurred silverites into further activity, which began late yesterday, when President Roosevelt announced the price for newly-mined domestic silver from 64½ to 71 cents an ounce.

The bill, by Senator Burton Wheeler, Democrat, Maine, would require the Treasury to purchase silver to the amount of \$100,000,000 of silver a month until the proportion of silver in the monetary stock is one-fourth of the monetary stock.

SIXTEEN-TO-ONE RATIO  
Purchases would be suspended whenever sixteen ounces of pure silver equalled in purchasing power one ounce of gold or other monetary metals, and would continue only as long as that ratio was not disturbed.

Though some quarters saw in the President's action a possible attempt to head off other monetary moves, some emphasized that it developed from the fact that the world price for silver had approached to within a fraction of 64½ cents, the price at which the Treasury has been paying for newly-mined metal.

PEAK PRICE IN LONDON  
London, April 11.—The price of silver today touched the highest mark in nine years, bringing to \$1.29 an ounce, three-quarters penny higher than yesterday, owing chiefly to President Roosevelt's announcement of an increased buying price.

This stimulated buying in China and India by speculators who steadily have been shorting the metal here in the last few days on the assumption that the United States, which hitherto has been supporting the price, would continue to do so.

INDUCEMENT TO BUYERS  
Market interests here regarded President Roosevelt's action as an inducement to buyers, traders emphasizing the market, and speculators on the United States take is bound to have a big effect on sentiment, especially in the Far East.

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## NO TRIP EAST BY PREMIER

Mr. Pattullo Not to Attend  
Premiers-Mayors' Conference April 22

April 22 has been set as the date of a conference of the provincial premiers and mayors at Montreal to consider "further decisive steps" in connection with the unemployment problem, but Premier Pattullo will not attend.

To an invitation from the continuing committee of mayors at Montreal the head of the B.C. Government declined, stating that he was unable to participate in the suggested meeting.

His reply was that British Columbia had on a number of occasions made representations to the federal government in the region of unemployment and that further negotiations were proceeding. He also pointed out that municipalities were desirous of providing legislative assistance in the region of unemployment.

Regina, April 11.—Premier J. G. Gardiner of Saskatchewan, speaking at a luncheon of the continuing committee of mayors at Montreal April 22, stated he would be unable to attend a meeting in the east on the suggested date.

ALL PREMIERS INVITED  
Montreal, April 11.—Premiers of all nine provinces were invited by yesterday to meet here on April 22 with members of the continuing committee of the Dominion conference of mayors to consider "further decisive steps" in connection with the unemployment problem.

The invitation was signed by the continuing committee, composed of Mayors: Camille G. Bouché, Montreal; James Simpson, Toronto; C. O. McNeil, M.P., Vancouver; John Quinn, M.P.P., Winnipeg; George Weale, London; E. J. Craig, Halifax; and Fred Bancroft, Toronto, general secretary.

Mr. Simpson, who met here yesterday and discussed the question, the other mayors being consulted by the continuing committee.

TELETYPE INVITATION  
The wire to the various premiers read: "You have received a complete copy of the decisions and proceedings of the continuing committee of mayors, which met in Montreal and Ottawa on March 28 to 29, and you will have noticed that one of our two main demands was that for the very strong recommendation of your government should assume the entire responsibility for unemployment relief."

We have not as yet received an answer from the Dominion government. It is urgently necessary to take further decisive steps. We strongly urge your government to attend a joint meeting of representatives of provincial governments and our continuing committee in order to discuss the immediate calling of a joint conference of the provincial and municipal governments of Canada.

We propose that this first meeting should be held in Montreal on Monday, April 22.

"APPEALING SITUATION"  
Following their meeting yesterday, Mayors Houde, Simpson and Weale wired their colleagues of the continuing committee that "notwithstanding the appalling situation which was laid before the members of Parliament and the Cabinet, the government has not yet taken any steps to meet the unemployment problem."

The conference between the provincial representatives and the continuing committee would be preparatory to the meeting of the continuing committee of mayors, which is the main object of the invitation.

THE MAYOR LAW  
The mayor law said a conference is necessary following the statement of Sir George Perley, Acting Prime Minister, last month, to the mayors, that unemployment relief matters should be taken to the provinces.

RATTENBURY TRIAL  
ATTRACTS CROWD

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picked up the mail. He said "You haven't got guts enough to do it. Then I hit him with the mail."

The attorney produced a heavy envelope, which he handed to the jury. The jury then retired to consider their verdict.

STONER WAS ARRESTED  
Stoner was arrested as he got off the train from the station at 11:30 a.m. He was taken to the police station and held in custody.

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## PRINCE OF WALES SPEAKS TO-MORROW

The Prince of Wales will be heard through the radio to-morrow afternoon in a broadcast from London.

The Prince will speak in connection with the Jubilee Trust-offering fund, and the Canadian Broadcasting Commission has arranged to bring the broadcast to its network by Transatlantic telephone.

The address is to be heard in Victoria from 4:30 to 5:30 o'clock over station CBV, Vancouver, 1140 kilocycles.

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Station CBV, Canadian Radio Commission outlet in Vancouver, stated this morning in answer to a query that they do not know whether the station would carry the broadcast.

Stoner for Mrs. Rattenbury of yesterday and other things.

On March 29, when he was in custody, Stoner made a statement in which he said Mrs. Rattenbury had nothing to do with the affair.

"When I did the job I believed it was safe," the police quoted Stoner. "I hit him, then I told Mrs. Rattenbury, I watched through the French window and saw her come in at midnight, and then leave the room. I waited and kept in through the unlocked window, still, it ain't much to say anything, when they tell her I am arrested she will go out or be killed."

The hearing was adjourned until Tuesday.

LEARN IN KANLOOPS  
Kamloops, B.C., April 11.—Mrs. Francis Rattenbury, who appeared before a magistrate in Bournemouth, England, to-day, with her chauffeur on a charge of murdering her husband, was formerly Miss Alma Victoria Clark, and lived in Kamloops and went to school here for several years.

A daughter of W. W. Clark, formerly of The Standard newspaper staff, she was known as a child violinist. Alma went to Zeland School when a tiny tot, where she is well remembered.

She appeared in Kamloops, B.C., at the age of about twelve went to Victoria to live. Precocious and talented, she was very attractive. At music she was an easy first always.

World's Silliest  
Horse Race Event

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will win a bag of beer. The race track will be in terrible condition, and so will the horses. The odds are 100 to 1 against every bag.

Mr. Chambers told of the drop in production at B.C. Collieries from 2,164,626 tons in 1914, to 1,247,000 tons in 1934.

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## Distillation Of Coal Urged

Alan Chambers Presents  
Brief to Fuel Commission at Nanaimo

Nanaimo, April 11.—Portsmouth, B.C., April 11.—Eighteen of the sixty-four men who pleaded guilty to boarding a train given one day in Nelson.

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## POLICE MAKE STILL SEIZURE

Axel Yongstrom Fined \$500  
Or Nine Months at Campbell River

Courtesy, April 11.—Concluding a three-day vigil by provincial police officers in the wild country of the mainland at Green Point Rapids, fifty miles north of Campbell River on the mainland, Axel Yongstrom was fined \$500 or nine months in jail for running a still and being in possession of much and liquor.

Yongstrom was sentenced this morning at Campbell River. Constables McAlpine and Morris, of the provincial police, stayed in the woods for three days watching the still to catch their man. The still was near tide water, but was in very rough and sparsely-settled country. It is believed that it was operated for years and has been the source of much of the illicit liquor running in the tide-water country on Johnston Strait.

The still was a big one. Two hundred gallons of mash and 100 gallons of liquor. The provincial officers had no authority to make a seizure but they notified some officers who went north and took the still, mash and liquor into bond.

France Asks Aid  
In Restricting Arms  
For Germany

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three-power assembly presided over by Premier Mussolini of Italy.

France alone was taking responsibility through her appeal to the League, but high quarters indicated the approval of the other nations composing the "Big Three" was sought by her without her having to ask them directly to join in the appeal to Geneva.

SQUARELY MET  
As Premier Pierre Etienne Flandin of France and his British Minister, Sir John Simon, returned to their conference with Premier Mussolini, Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald of Great Britain and Foreign Secretary Sir John Simon, after the luncheon at the Associated Press, France was authoritatively informed that the League of Nations must squarely meet the grave issue caused by Germany's violation of the military clauses of the treaty.

The French said they feared that if Germany took one illegal step after another, she would be constantly increasing the size of her army and armaments.

ITALIAN SWING  
Noticeable swing of Italian opinion from open irritation toward Britain's desire for a general pact, including Germany, rather than for an alliance against her was expressed in high Italian sources this evening.

It was understood that the French already is regarded as leaning toward Britain.

FRANCE CAMPAIGN  
A two-week Italian press campaign for a strong united front developed for the new trend to-day.

Mussolini's newspaper, Popolo d'Italia, pointed out Germany, Russia and Poland had to be considered as Italian sources considered this as an attempt to bridge the diplomatic gap between the Italian and English views.

START OF CONFERENCE  
It was in the quiet recesses of the League of Nations that the three-power conference on European security got under way to-day.

The conference set from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 in the afternoon, and then adjourned for lunch, after deciding to take up the question of France's appeal to the League of Nations at 5 p.m.

After a brief greeting from Premier Mussolini, who acted as chairman, Sir John Simon, British Foreign Secretary, made a statement of the French position, and the tour made by Sir John Simon, British Foreign Secretary, was given a general outline of the Paris conference, while they were in Paris and that they decided it would be necessary to discuss it at Stresa in connection with questions regarding the strengthening of the League of Nations covenant.

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The London Daily Herald, Labor's organ, upholds the French-Russian project as "a model." But The London News-Chronicle, Liberal, urged strengthening the League covenant itself as an alternative to military action.

Admitting the pact does not conflict with the League, The Herald says: "The ugly fact remains that this pact is scarcely distinguishable from a military alliance."

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## WHERE THE BONDS ARE HELD

**JUDGED BY THE CAUSTIC REFERENCE**  
which have appeared in several British newspapers in reference to the Ontario government's action in the matter of power contracts, how their cancellation would affect Canada's credit in the British financial market, one would think that practically the whole of the bonds involved were held by persons and financial institutions in Britain.

This is far from the case. Out of more than \$782,000,000 worth of bonds directly or indirectly affected by the new Ontario legislation only a little more than \$6,500,000 worth are held in the United Kingdom. There are the Ontario government unguaranteed totalling \$3,497,772 and the Beaulieu and MacLaren Quebec to the extent of \$3,075,000.

The facts show, moreover, that of the total, \$482,890,572 worth of these bonds are held in Canada, while the balance, amounting to \$281,427,065 worth, are held in the United States. It would thus appear that the protests from certain quarters in Great Britain are much ado about relatively little.

Since Canadian bondholders are the most heavily involved the Hapburn government has come in for a good deal of criticism for waiving advice what have been considered established rights. Even the widows and orphans have been trotted out to weep for their lost income. We would gather, however, that looking for widows and orphans wholly dependent upon income from power bonds would be like looking for the proverbial needle in the proverbial haystack.

Incidentally, we are reminded by The Toronto Star, the Ontario government decision has a precedent. It cites the case of the Florence Mining Company when the administration of Sir James Whitney over-rode and wiped out company rights. Then, as now, the government based its cancellation of these rights upon questions of law and good faith, and then, as now, the government refused to permit the company to take a stated case to the courts.

In that case, as in the present case, the aggrieved parties declared that the credit of the province and the Dominion would be adversely affected. And then, as now, there was an appeal for federal disallowance and a pronouncement from Ottawa that provincial measures are no longer disallowed so long as they are within the power of the province to enact.

## CANADA'S POPULATION

**ON THE PERCENTAGE OF INCREASE**  
Between 1921 and 1931 Canada's population this year will exceed 11,100,000. Next year it should exceed 11,300,000 and by 1941 it will be well over 13,000,000.

It is hard to realize that the population of the Dominion now is considerably greater than that of Great Britain in 1801 when it was 10,500,000, and is a million larger than the population of England and Wales in 1811. It is almost as large as the population of those two countries at the time of the Battle of Waterloo.

During the Napoleonic war there was a marked disparity between the population of Great Britain and France, Napoleon being able to draw upon the resources of 27,000,000 French people. During the last 134 years France's population has risen by only 14,000,000, whereas that of Great Britain has grown almost five-fold. France has suffered much more heavily from war than Great Britain whose geographical position has enabled her to escape hostile invasion with its devastating consequences, and this is reflected in the low French birthrate.

The population of the United States in 1800 was 3,508,000, less than half the population of Canada to-day. Even in 1820 it did not exceed 9,636,000, or 1,500,000 less than the number of people who live in this Dominion now. The rate of increase, however, was considerably greater than that of Canada owing to the heavy immigration which continued until drastic restrictive regulations were imposed fifteen or twenty years ago. When economic conditions have improved it may be predicted that Canada's population will increase at a greater rate than at any other time in her history and may reach 20,000,000 within the next two decades.

## A LONG DISPUTE ENDED

**FOR MANY YEARS A BONE OF CONTENTION** between Russia and Japan has been the status of the Chinese Eastern Railway, but this source of friction recently was removed by the acceptance by Russia of an undertaking by Manchukuo to pay to the Soviet for its interests in the road the sum of \$45,000,000 in cash and goods, in return for which Russia relinquishes all her holdings in the system. The Japanese Foreign Minister, Koki Hirota, was witness of the transaction, and although the Soviet, by signing the document, recognized Manchukuo as a sovereign state, it insisted on Japan agreeing that the "puppet state" would pay up.

It will be recalled that several months ago negotiations for the disposal of the road were broken off because Russia held out for the payment of \$48,320,000 as her minimum demand. Manchukuo's limit at that time was \$43,300,000. Negotiations were eventually resumed, however, and certain agreements regarding discharge allowances to Soviet employees of the road apparently were amicably reached, resulting in the compromise to cover all details at \$45,000,000 in cash and goods. The first cash installment of \$6,530,000 was paid on March 23.

In building the Chinese Eastern Railway, Russia, under the last Czarist regime, spent \$215,000,000; but there were no any hope of her getting even half of this amount. But in getting \$45,000,000 she actually has not done badly. In any event, the settlement of this highly controversial matter has

reduced the number of reasons for trouble in that harsened region by one.

It must always be borne in mind, of course, that the construction of this railway marked the beginning of Russia's great drive to the Pacific. It helped to bring on the Russian-Japanese war of thirty years ago; in recent years disputes over its ownership have kept Russian-Japanese antagonism alive. The border "incidents" of last year looked at one time as if they might result in a general flare-up.

## "GUTS" OUT OF ORDER

**WHEN THE MEMBER FOR NEW** Westminster in the House of Commons charged the government with a shortage of "guts" in its attitude to some question of moment he was ruled out of order by the Deputy Speaker on the ground that the word "guts" was unparliamentary. The member substituted for the prohibited expression the phrase "intestinal fortitude," and remained perfectly in order, whatever may have been the condition of the government.

Now the word "guts" may not be euphemistic, but it has the weight and prestige of a venerable English literature behind it. It has the imprimatur of every dictionary. It is the root of many terms which if they were used in the House of Commons would not be declared to be unparliamentary. For example, even the Deputy Speaker could not object to the word "catgut" in the course of a debate.

We wonder what the ruling would have been if the member for New Westminster had used the word "bowels." Or suppose he had figuratively described the government as suffering from a shortage of the duodenum or colon. What would have been the verdict? Or suppose, further, he had charged the administration with lacking backbone, a different part of the anatomy; would this term have been declared to be unparliamentary, and would he have had to resort to the more euphemistic "spinal column"?

The word "guts," although less pleasing to the ear, is more honest than the pompous camouflage "intestinal fortitude." There is a lot of humbug and hypocrisy in the hush-hush prejudices of early Victorianism against the use of many perfectly good English words simply because they do not fall upon the ear as impressively as some sonorous compound which means the same thing. At one time it was even improper to use the word "leg" in its anatomical sense in polite society. People were expected to say "limb," although leg was the correct term in every way.

## THAT \$4,880,000,000 WALLET

**FURTHER DETAILS OF THE UNITED** States \$4,880,000,000 work-relief legislation show that while it is intended to be used "in the discretion and under the direction of the President," to provide "relief, work-relief, and to increase employment by providing for useful projects," it "marks" the fund in eight general classifications or projects, intended to cover every possible line of public works.

The measure gives the President full authority to fix wage scales on these works, with the limitation that he shall pay "prevailing wages," according to the Davis-Bacon Act, on strictly federal building projects, and that other wages shall not lower existing private scales.

The President also is empowered to establish any governmental agencies necessary to carry out the purposes of the legislation, but specifies that highway funds must be expended through present channels maintained under the Federal-State Aid Good Roads system.

It is further provided that of moneys lent or granted to states and political subdivisions thereof for non-federal works, at least 25 per cent of each separate amount, "in the determination of the President," shall be expended for labor.

Under the measure the President is authorized to make loans to farmers, tenants, and share-croppers for the purchase of farm lands and farm equipment.

Another provision requires confirmation by the Senate of all central and state administrative officers receiving salaries of \$5,000 or more, while the final clause provides for penalties for fraud in connection with the use of funds and also for the violation of any rules and regulations prescribed by the President in carrying out the purposes of the programme.

It will be fairly safe to say that at no period in the world's history has such a huge sum of money—credit perhaps would be a better term—been placed in one man's hands to do, with the exception of a few well-defined limitations, what he likes with.

While the President's policies under the comprehensive alphabetized NRA programme continue to meet with a good deal of hostility in some quarters, there appears nowhere the least disposition to question either his sincerity of purpose or his good faith. His position at the present time is unique among the world's national leaders.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

THE REAL DANGER  
The Toronto Star

France is credited with saying that Germany is preparing for a great strike in 1936. The real danger is that Hitler, or somebody in France who may regard Hitler as a madman, may send thousands of bombing airplanes forth and that a war of forty-eight hours might ensue, from which war no news could come because every sort of communication would be wrecked like everything else that animates an intelligent civilization. It does seem that science has discovered too many destructive agents and has placed in the hands of a race not yet sufficiently advanced from the stage of the cave-man a power of destruction they may be bunched enough to use.

CANADA'S GOLD MINES  
The Toronto Mail and Empire

Figures showing the number of mines actually going into production since 1920 are impressive. In that year there were only three properties which set up mills. In 1921 there were nine, in 1922 there were fourteen and in 1924 there were no fewer than thirty-seven. It would be too optimistic to suggest that all of these properties, or even a majority of them, will become important, and come undoubtedly will prove disappointments to their shareholders. But when it is remembered that in 1920 this country had only fifteen steady producers, the actual production developed since that day—now amounting to a fifth of the national total—encourages even skeptics to believe that when the vastly important big mines of to-day begin to peter out, we shall have others to maintain our position as a gold producer.

## Loose Ends

It is cheering to get home—especially when Mrs. Higgins is here to greet one—and Mr. Bess is already preparing for next Christmas—and the McGregors are united again after a painful family quarrel.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

## BACK AGAIN

**WELL, FOR EITHER** or for woe. I am back again, out of the polar regions of Caribou, down to sea level and the daily grind with a lump. For two weeks I have been utterly out of touch with the world—the radio is full of static up there—and one comes back after a trip like that with the feeling that one has missed events of vast importance. Why, when I left, Europe was on the verge of war, Canada was on the verge of election, the legislature was on the verge of dissolution, Victoria was on the verge of spring. Apparently nothing came of it, but the spring, and I know that couldn't be held off much longer, even though I haven't been able to plant a single seed yet and Mrs. Higgins's peas are three inches high.

## NOTHING OF IMPORTANCE

**WELL, I TELL YOU** said Mrs. Higgins, "nothing" and "appened in the town since you was away. Everything went on as usual. You know the way of it—there was going to be a war in Europe one day and then there wasn't the next and then there was the next and it still goes on that way from day to day. You and I've gotten the same spring talk from the big 'uns about prosperity coming this year, like we've got every year since the depression, and there ain't going to be no hell-till the fall and I got no carrots and onions in and that's about all of importance.

"I didn't know you was gone away until the other day, but I ain't seen the paper lately, because young Mrs. Higgins next door ain't his cat's—mostly with 'n mother-in-law account of young Mrs. Higgins' laid off for a month, so she ain't been much good to bring over the newspaper in the newspaper, so I ain't been keeping up with the world much, as you might say.

"But a fellow named Shoop told me last Saturday at the white drive you was away in Caribou. 'He fraim' cold up there,' he says, 'but a man must be crazy to go up there when it's spring down here.' 'You could tell by the way he writ,' Shoop says. 'No, I says, 'you're mistaken, he ain't crazy exactly, as you'd say, but a little wrong in the head; but he ain't help it,' I says. 'It's the spring, you know. It takes everybody different.' 'The folk is mad,' Shoop says. But don't you worry about Shoop, Mr. Bess, 'he ain't been right in the head for years. Everybody don't agree with Shoop, you know. I know lots as don't."

## RHUBARB

**MR. BESS** was up just now, with a certain look of cunning in his eye. I knew he had designs upon somebody. It turned out that he had designs upon my rhubarb.

"If you could spare me a few stalks of rhubarb," said Mr. Bess, "why, it might pay ya. I figure to make all rhubarb this year, with maybe a little dandelion and fig. I bin figgerin' it out and you know what conclusion I come to? I come to the conclusion that it don't do a man no good to be drinkin' about a quart of loganberry every day. It ain't good for the insides. It ain't the alcohol, you know, but the acid. Loganberries is full of acid. So I figure to drink rhubarb and fig. They ain't acid. Besides, you can drink more of 'em without them gettin' you down. So if you was to give me a few stalks of rhubarb I'd give you a bottle next Christmas. Man's like champagne! You can't tell the difference. I ain't tasted champagne myself, but you can't tell the difference.

"Ain't the spring origin up grand? Why, my lawn is all green now. There

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ain't nothin' like a lawn, is there, to lie down on in the sun when you've had a drop or two too many? I guess you find it that way, too. I sit out here about it when the lawn gets green in the spring. Thanks for the rhubarb. Now if you 'ave any blackberries to spare later on, my rhubarb makes an elegant blackberry corbel with a lick like Pathway's white mare."

## TRAGEDY

**ONE OF THE FIRST** things you notice on coming down out of the polar regions is the nightly chant of the frog, which is the very voice of spring itself. In our little lily pond, a frog family, the McGregors, have lived in contentment for years, and every night at this season you can hear the gruff voice of Mr. McGregor saying, "Kerax, kerax, kerax," and the softer voice of Mrs. McGregor saying, "Kerax, kerax, kerax." Then the shrill infant voice of the baby McGregors pipes up with, "Kerax, kerax, kerax."

Yes, but the infant voice of Baby McGregors pipes up more. By Mr. McGregor made the mistake of leaving the ancestral pond the other day, and the first thing I heard, when I returned here, was the sound of marching feet through the oak woods, which I knew would portend no good.

The demons from next door appeared under my window bearing between them a large marmalade tin stuffed with large marmalade.

"You know what we got in here?" belted the little girl from next door.

"Ork, ork," said her brother.

"We got a frog, that's what," said she. "Look it. He's as pretty as a picture, no like and green and he's got brown eyes just like my brother. And if you say 'hello' to him he'll say 'ork, ork, ork.' He can't say anything else, though."

"He's only a baby yet," said her brother, apologetically.

"We're going to keep him till he grows up and then he'll have some baby frogs of his own. After a while we'll have a whole lot of them to play with."

"Ork, ork, ork," said a voice from inside the marmalade tin. Baby McGregor was calling for his parents, but he called in vain.

## POOR ORPHAN

**THE DEMONS** did everything in their power to make the orphan comfortable. They fed him on grain that was left over from the feeding of pheasants last winter. They even left a half-scented peppermint in the marmalade tin and opened most of the day trying to find time for the orphan, but there were no flies. Still, they did discover a dead moth, but Baby McGregor wouldn't eat it. Probably he is too young yet for a meat diet.

Anyway, they left the orphan in the tin one night when they went to bed. It was pitchy, indeed, in heat on the midnight air the house and anxious croak of Mr. McGregor, "Kerax, Kerax, Kerax," and the motherly wail of Mrs. McGregor, "Kerax, Kerax, Kerax."

It was enough to melt any heart but a young demon's.

Well, next morning when the owners of the marmalade tin went to feed their pet, they found the tin empty. They came crawling the news through the neighborhood that Baby McGregor had run away. The little girl from next door suggested the organization of search parties to scour the woods. Her brother said we should appeal to the Spanish police, but this neighborhood somehow couldn't get worked up about Baby McGregor.

Last night from Mr. Bess and the old, contented "Kerax, Kerax, Kerax," of Mr. McGregor and the motherly "Kerax, Kerax, Kerax," of Mrs. McGregor, and then on the midnight air the shrill, happy wail of Baby McGregor, "Kerax, Kerax, Kerax." The family is united again and all is well.

To-morrow we shall get down to business in this space.

## SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"I kept refusing him dates, just to make him think I was popular, so he quit calling up."



## FRIDAY OFFERINGS

On the Bargain Highway

**WOMEN'S SUITS** of wool tweed, in mannish style. All smartly tailored and coats silk lined. Sizes 16 to 20. Extra big value, each ..... **\$9.95 to \$12.95**

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**MEN'S BROADCLOTH SHIRTS** with elastic fast in back; various patterns. Sizes 20 to 42. A pair ..... **39c**

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## Other People's Views

**WARNING!**  
The Times urges its correspondents to restrict their contributions to 600 words. Henceforth it positively will not print communications which exceed that length.

These letters must be plainly written on one side of the paper only, and must be accompanied by the names and addresses of the writers, not necessarily for publication but as a guarantee of good faith. Letters will not be re-written for publication. If they are not legible no attempt will be made to read them. Letters not used will not be returned to the writers. Letters containing offensive personal reflections will not be printed. These rules, which henceforth will be carried out absolutely, are designed as much for the protection of our readers as for that of The Times.

## CAUTION!

The Times will not assume responsibility for the return to the writers of articles sent for publication in the Correspondence Column or elsewhere in this newspaper, whether they are published or not, unless they have been specially solicited.

## DRAFTING RULE

To the Editor:—Now while the management and the regulations of the correspondence column are being looked into it is appropriate to call attention to one of the rules, at least one of the rules two years ago, probably still among the rest. It is a conversation during meals was not allowed.

That is a rule worthy of the worst dictator in Europe. Men who do not converse during meals are only half civilized and they ought to be helped rather than hindered. The right to conversation during meals is a right no less inviolable than any of the highest rights of free men. In the light of a free press that we hear so much about is probably no higher.

Whoever makes such a rule as that in Canada is better than a dictator, not just in print. Now it came to be printed it is time we were finding out.

## CHEER UP EVERYBODY

To the Editor:—There is quite a lot of undesirable "medical" gloom broadcast everywhere these days in the form of "diseases of the mind." Diseases, real or imaginary, are served up in story form to us nearly every periodical and magazine—until quite perfect specimens of humanity—delude themselves into believing they have every sickness under the sun—from athlete's foot to the Asiatic plague, and consume enough drugs and tablets to sink the Canadian navy.

No doubt it is all in good order to investigate the cause and cure of our different physical ailments, but it would be more in line if one of our Montreal millionaires for his own good, had endowed a research institute for that purpose.

A great deal of disease and unhappiness would be eliminated if we would only follow the few simple laws of God, and the science of good health combined with right living. These lovely spring days—all the great out-of-door is calling us to break away from the man-made artificial existence inside our prisons of wood and stone and enjoy the abundance of sunshine, sea and country air.

Store up that reserve of clean blood and energy by getting more acquainted with the woodlands, grass, and flowers, sun-baths, swim, play outdoor games, and, above all, forget yourself in the service to the other fellow and his children.

OPTIMIST.  
681 Quebec Street, Victoria.

## CANADIANS AND JOBS

To the Editor:—According to some of your correspondents, but Canadian-born should receive positions of any description in this Dominion. This prompts the question, in the term "native son" to be taken as applying to any person born in Canada? If so, and according to the reasoning of those who object to the appointment of a great Scottish writer to Governor-General, we should be prepared to accept the nomination of an Oriental, or indeed anyone who is not of Anglo-Saxon or Celtic extraction. This is not meant in a spirit of reproach, but the native son-body prepared to accept the definition? Furthermore, and according to the same reasoning a native son is in duty bound to register a protest should his British-born father be given a chance to earn a living in Canada?

The attitude displayed by Mr. A. D. Martin and others holding his views is petty and puerile and betokens a narrow, selfish outlook. There is every reason to believe that the post of Governor-General will be creditably filled by Mr. John Buchan, who, albeit he had the misfortune to be born elsewhere than in North America, is a gentleman in the truest sense of the word.

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## Meats, Provisions, Delicatessen

FRIDAY VALUES—CASH AND CARRY

**EARLY SHOPPING VALUES—9 to 10 a.m.**  
Springfield Butter ..... **3 lb. 71c**  
Limit 6 lbs.  
Egg—Grade "A" Medium ..... **2 doz. 31c**  
Limit 4 dozen.

**PRE-EASTER HAM SALE**  
**SWIFT'S PREMIUM** Whole or shank ..... **21c**  
half, per lb.

**SPENCER'S DEPENDABLE FIRST-GRADE BUTTER**  
Fresh Made—Sold Fresh—It's Better  
Springfield Brand, lb., 26¢; 3 lbs. for ..... **76¢**  
Fried Ham, lb., 27¢; 3 lbs. for ..... **79¢**  
Sliced Ham Bologna, Corned Beef, 1/2-lb. lots ..... **8¢**  
Fried Liver, Blood Sausage, lb., 20¢; Wieners, lb., 22¢

**Mild Cheese** ..... **17c**  
Per lb.  
**Matured Cheese** ..... **25c**  
Per lb.  
**Shortening** ..... **11c**  
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## MEATS—AS OUT IN CASE

Small Roasts	Small Roasts	Small Roasts
Per lb. 14c	Per lb. 8c	Per lb. 15c
Per lb. 9c	Per lb. 9c	Per lb. 20c
Per lb. 18c	Per lb. 11c	Per lb. 17c
Per lb. 11c	Per lb. 20c	Per lb. 16c
Per lb. 10c	Per lb. 22c	Per lb. 20c

## SERVICE MEATS—DELIVERED

We Appreciate Your Week-end Order Friday

**Prime Steer Beef**  
T-bone Roasts, lb., 23¢; Prime Ribs, short, lb., 23¢  
Rump Roasts, lb., 21¢; Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb., 23¢  
Steaks: Round, lb., 23¢; T-bone, lb., 25¢; Sirloin, lb., 25¢

**Milk-fed Veal**  
Fillets, lb., 24¢; Cutlets, lb., 25¢; Breasts, lb., 10¢

**Quality Lamb**  
Shoulders, lb., 15¢; Legs, lb., 25¢; Liver, lb., 18¢

**Loins and Fillets of Grain-fed Pork**  
Fillets, lb., 24¢; Loins, lb., 25¢; Tenderloins, lb., 30¢

**Milk-fed Fowl** ..... **20c**  
Per lb.  
**Little Pig Sausage** ..... **19c**  
Per lb.  
**Pickled Ox Tongues** ..... **17c**  
Per lb.

## Groceteria—Cash and Carry

Del Monte Santa Clara Prunes, medium size 2, lb., 21¢  
Ovaltine, per tin, 38¢, 58¢ and ..... **98¢**  
1 set of "Orphan Annie" Books given away with each tin  
Five Roses Flour, 7s, per sack ..... **30¢**  
Clark's Vegetarian Beans, 2s squat, 2 tins for ..... **17¢**  
Clark's Canadian Whole Pea Soup, per tin ..... **5¢**

## INTRODUCTORY OFFER

1 tin Dole's Tid-bits Pineapple, 8-oz. .... All for  
1 tin Dole's Crushed Pineapple, 8-oz. .... **29c**  
1 tin Dole's Pineapple Juice, 8-oz. ....  
1 Pineapple Recipe Book

P. & G. White Naphtha Soap, 3 bars for ..... **10¢**  
Heinz Malt, White and Cider Vinegar, 32-oz. bottle, 25¢  
Brand's Imported Orange Marmalade, 1s, per jar ..... **31¢**  
Aylmer Assorted Soups, except Chicken, tin ..... **2¢**  
Australian Pastry Flour, 10s, sack ..... **32¢**  
Ogilvie's Wheat Hearts, 28-oz. pkt. .... **14¢**  
Connor's Whole Clams, 1s, 2 tins ..... **17¢**  
"Sheen" Furniture Polish, per bottle, 23¢ and ..... **45¢**  
C. & B. Baked Chicken, per tin ..... **23¢**  
California Dark Sultan, 2-lb. bag ..... **23¢**  
Plums, in syrup, 2s, 2 tins ..... **18¢**  
Bovril Corned Beef, 1s, 2 tins for ..... **17¢**  
Bird's Custard Powder, 2 pkts. for ..... **17¢**  
Bird's Blanc Mange Powder, per tin ..... **30¢**  
Santa Clara Prunes, 40-50s, 2-lb. bag for ..... **19¢**  
"Jif" Soap Flakes, per pkt. .... **17¢**  
(1 Cup and Saucer Free with each packet)

Brussels Sprouts, per tin ..... **30¢**  
Orchard City Cut Green Beans, 2s squat, tin ..... **3¢**  
C. & B. Wild Bramble Jelly, 12-oz. per jar ..... **30¢**  
Gordon Head Strawberry Jam, 4s, tin ..... **40¢**  
Fry's Premium Chocolate, 1/2s, per pkt. .... **18¢**



## Logging Camps Big Business

Nine Thousand Men Will Be Employed Shortly; Government Gets Big Return

Logging camps of British Columbia, the backbone of this province's largest industry, are expected to employ nine thousand men in the first quarter of 1935. They were closed down by order for fifty days, or more than half this season.

Considering the long shut-down, the figure is surprisingly high as compared with the 500,000 men cut in the same period a year ago. Since logging closed, provincial government revenue from logging camped up to \$400,000 in the three months ending March 31, from the 1934 figure of \$200,000.

These totals were given out by logging camps after a survey of 150 operations in the first quarter of the year. They will be confirmed by official government figures in a few weeks and then, covering every small hand-logging operation, they show a slight advance over the statistics prepared by the B.C. Loggers' Association.

Logging suffered a severe handicap at the opening of the year through phenomenal snowfall, particularly in the Vancouver Island timber areas. Some camps have only resumed in the last few weeks and a few around Cowichan Lake and further north on the island are still unable to operate on account of snow. Others are operating only one "side" where, but for snow, they could operate two or three.

Within a few weeks, when the snow has disappeared, the whole industry, which supplies the material for all British Columbia's many-wooded products, will be operating at top speed. At the moment it is employing between 5,000 and 6,000 men directly, but indirectly it employs many times that number in the various cutting industries, in transportation and in the purchase of supplies of every kind for its camps.

By the time logging reaches its peak, about 9,000 men will be working in the woods, one of Canada's greatest industries.

**GOVERNMENT SURPRISED**  
Meanwhile revenue from logging has surprised the provincial government, exceeding its estimates for the first quarter, despite the fifty-day shut-down. Thus in January logging revenue totaled \$140,000 as against \$140,000 in January, 1934. In February of this year the total collection was \$121,000 as compared with \$115,000 last year. In March the increase was still greater. The government took in \$170,000 from the logging in that month as against \$165,750 for a corresponding month in 1934. With a total payment of \$400,000 to the provincial treasury in three months, the logging industry will provide a substantial part of the government's total revenue before the end of the year.

## Press Bills Are Warmly Debated

Opposition Members in Alberta Decried Move to Add Restrictions

Canadian Press  
Edmonton, April 11.—The Alberta Legislature after a stormy debate yesterday defeated an amendment to give a six-month notice to the bill to regulate publication of reports of judicial proceedings in civil matters.

The bill, which would give a six-month notice to the publisher in publishing reports of civil actions, was given second reading, on a vote of 26 in favor to 12 opposed. Previously a motion to adjourn the debate had been defeated by a vote of 16 in favor to 21 against.

When second reading was given, the house adopted the motion moved by D. M. Macdonald, Conservative leader, to refer the bill to the agriculture committee, where representatives of the press will have opportunity to make representations.

When the House took up the bill to amend the Libel and Slander Act, W. B. Brown, K.C., Liberal leader, at once moved for a six-month notice. There was no vote on this as an amendment moved later by Hugh C. Farthing, K.C., Conservative, Calgary, to adjourn the debate was adopted by the House without a division.

The amendment to give a six-month notice to the publisher of reports of judicial proceedings was moved by J. M. Deane, Liberal, St. Paul. On that division, Mr. Farthing "betrayed" his party and voted with the Liberals, as he also did on the division to give the bill second reading.

Liberal and Conservative groups have been in the government's two bills. One speaker after another decried the move on the eve of an election to restrict the freedom of the press.

Opposition members praised the Liberal leaders of the Alberta press and urged the government to withdraw the objectionable legislation.

**CHARGES MADE**

The minister told the House that after representations had been made by representatives of Alberta newspapers, changes were being made in both bills which he believed would to a great extent meet the objection. When the bill to amend the Libel and Slander Act was under discussion, Attorney-General J. P. Lymburn said certain sections could be struck out and sections of the Ontario act, which had been amendable to amendments, could be substituted.

## U.S. Steel March Output Increased

Associated Press  
New York, April 11.—The United States Steel Corporation announced today that its shipments of finished steel products increased 41,000 tons in March to 600,000 tons. February shipments were 558,000 tons, while those for March 1934, totaled 595,500 tons.

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White Voile, a nice fine quality, 36 inches wide. A yard ..... **30¢**  
White Voile with drawn thread and small dot; uncrushable; 36 inches wide. A yard ..... **\$1.00**  
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### White Veils for Confirmation

Fine Net Veils with embroidered corner motif. 50-inch Veils, each ..... **\$1.25**

—Trimings, Main Floor

## SILK FABRICS For Confirmation Dresses

White Flat Crepe—A fine grade silk of excellent finish and durability; 36 inches wide. A yard ..... **85¢**  
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### White Shoes for Confirmation Classes

We are showing a number of All-white Shoes with medium and low heels in growing girl sizes. Plain one-straps, T-straps and Sandals! These are excellent values and will come in later for summer wear. **\$2.95**

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Formerly \$1.95.  
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An ideal Easter gift—and now only ..... **\$1.50**

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### "Princess Chic" LASTEX GIRDLES

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A new type of Step-in Lastex Girdle that features double-support figure control. The extra reinforcement below the waistline controls front, back and hips. A super value, each ..... **\$2.95**

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Women's and Misses'

## Easter Suits

Swagger or Fitted Styles

That will impress you with their smartness, fine quality and their low price

**\$19<sup>50</sup>**

Whether you prefer a swagger or fitted style, it will be easy to select a Suit from this group that will meet with your approval. You have a choice of tweeds in a variety of fancy weaves, or fine wool cloths in plain shades. Full or medium-length coats are shown in either style—all splendidly tailored and finished. Sizes 14 to 40.

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### One of Our Prominent Style Features For Easter Jacket Dresses

In Several New Styles

**\$16<sup>95</sup>**

In this group of Dresses you are offered a number of shades and attractive trimming effects. They are designed in taffeta, sheer and wool crepe and printed silk; a number in navy or black. The jackets are very smart, and some have printed crepe blouses. Sizes 14 to 44.

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## Men's Shirts

In Which Are Featured a Number  
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### BROADCLOTH SHIRTS

Shown in plain shades and of extra fine grade material; neat fitting and full cut. **\$1.00**  
All sizes. Special, each .....  
Or 3 Shirts for **\$2.75**

Work Shirts of khaki drill and woven Chambray with two pockets and collar attached. Roomy Shirts in various shades and all sizes. Regular \$1.25, for **\$1.00**

Better-grade Work Shirts of satin twill; napped back khaki. Brown, light blue and green shades. Coat style with two-buttoned pockets. All sizes, each ..... **\$1.95**

Heavy Black Satsum Shirts made in coat style with two pockets. All sizes ... **\$1.95**

Work Shirts of Saguenay homespun in heather mixtures; assorted colors; coat style. All sizes. Regular \$1.50, for ..... **\$1.25**

Work Shirts, Khaki or Black Prince Brands, with fleece back and coat style ... **\$1.50**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



## Maids' Caps and Aprons New Arrivals for Spring

Maids' Aprons in crossbar organdie, trimmed with plain organdie. Very smart Aprons, for ..... **\$1.25**

Collars and Cuffs to match, for ..... **65¢**

Caps to match, for ..... **45¢**

Sets in crossbar muslin with tucks and hemstitching to give chic. Aprons ..... **\$1.45**

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Caps for ..... **49¢**

White Lawn Aprons with hemstitched trim-ming, each ..... **69¢**

Aprons for morning wear — nurses' style. Each, 55¢ and ..... **\$1.00**

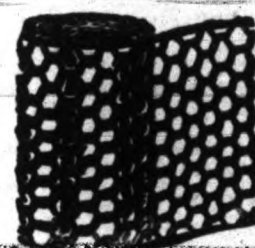
—Whitewear, First Floor



## LAWN NETTING and LAWN FENCING

MANY DIFFERENT SIZES NOW IN STOCK

30-inch Double Loop Lawn Fencing, a foot ..... **13¢**  
36-inch Double Loop Lawn Fencing, a foot ..... **15¢**  
Gates to match—3.0x3.0, each ..... **\$3.95**  
Gates to match—2.6x3.0, each ..... **\$4.50**



### POULTRY NETTING—2-INCH MESH

12 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$1.65</b>	36 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$3.75</b>
A yard ..... <b>5¢</b>	A yard ..... <b>10¢</b>
18 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$2.25</b>	48 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$4.95</b>
A yard ..... <b>7¢</b>	A yard ..... <b>12¢</b>
24 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$2.75</b>	60 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$5.85</b>
A yard ..... <b>8¢</b>	A yard ..... <b>15¢</b>
30 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$3.35</b>	72 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$7.10</b>
A yard ..... <b>9¢</b>	A yard ..... <b>18¢</b>

### POULTRY NETTING—1-INCH MESH

12 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$2.75</b>	30 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$5.95</b>
A yard ..... <b>8¢</b>	A yard ..... <b>10¢</b>
18 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$3.35</b>	36 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$6.95</b>
A yard ..... <b>12¢</b>	A yard ..... <b>18¢</b>
24 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$4.65</b>	
A yard ..... <b>14¢</b>	

### HALF-INCH NETTING

12 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$6.00</b>	30 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$11.75</b>
A yard ..... <b>15¢</b>	A yard ..... <b>30¢</b>
18 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$6.25</b>	36 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$13.50</b>
A yard ..... <b>20¢</b>	A yard ..... <b>35¢</b>
24 inches wide, 50 yards ..... <b>\$6.00</b>	
A yard ..... <b>24¢</b>	

—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

## "ALTERATION" SALE OF SHOES On the Bargain Highway

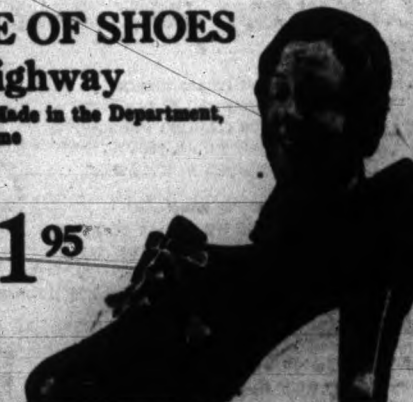
To Make Room While Alterations Are Being Made in the Department,  
We Are Closing Out Some

300 Pairs of

Women's Black Tie Shoes **\$1<sup>95</sup>**

AT, PER PAIR

Smartly-styled-Ties with covered Cuban heels ... showing new perfs, stitchings and interlacing treatments. All sizes, 3 to 8. Widths B, C and D.



### BOYS' BOOTS AND OXFORDS

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## The Way Beyond

By JEFFERY FARNOL

"Pray, Madam," he enquired, "how have these sorry ruffians troubled you?" The old creature forgot her terror sufficiently to drop him a hurried courtesy as she answered:

"Oh, sir, they took my bundle—there it lies! They took my purse of twenty-nine shillings and eight-pence three farthings—no, got it!" And she pointed valiantly at the taller and more threatening of her assailants, who instantly roared ferociously:

"Twice as old here! Two about your trap of old."

"Hold your vile tongue!" cried Richard as fiercely. "How do you return my money or shall we make you?"

"Fame's flaming, cry heart!" growled the man sullenly. "An' wot's more, it's no concern of yours, so 'up it sits to get on with it, ye can't see no way out."

"Which, Mr. Dick, I reckon that'll be about enough, eh?" inquired Tom with a comforting eagerness. Richard, settling his hat more firmly, "watch your man for an opening, Tom, and remember your left." Then, even as he spoke, Richard leapt to instant action and in this little, pleasant lane was full of sudden vicious combat. And—lo and behold! Richard's eyes shone bright and joyous, for even as the combat, this grimy specter of cowardly anxiety and dark despair, was banished by the strong spirit of selfless purpose and, thus, adventuring himself in another's cause, his own grievous heartache was eased in blessed forgetfulness a while.

Richard's opponent proved ferocious as he looked, and came to battle like one accustomed to victory and therefore supremely confident. Thus for some time was fight and trample of quick feet with clank of heavy blows and, now and then, mutter of wood on wood, Richard's neck stick and Tom's heavy cudgel against murderous intent. Richard, however, was not to be outdone. He was a fighter, and he fought with a fieri that had already won him some fame, therefore he trusted more to this, nature's weapon, and presently crying an opening for it as his man reeled, he struck a vicious blow, straight with his stick and drove in a flash counter to the fellow's brittle chin with such true accuracy and force that the combatant, reeling and set down with such extreme violence that the blowman shut from his grasp and he remained seated, face to back, whimpering curses. Then Richard covered with a fieri that had already won him some fame, therefore he trusted more to this, nature's weapon, and presently crying an opening for it as his man reeled, he struck a vicious blow, straight with his stick and drove in a flash counter to the fellow's brittle chin with such true accuracy and force that the combatant, reeling and set down with such extreme violence that the blowman shut from his grasp and he remained seated, face to back, whimpering curses. Then Richard covered with a fieri that had already won him some fame, therefore he trusted more to this, nature's weapon, and presently crying an opening for it as his man reeled, he struck a vicious blow, straight with his stick and drove in a flash counter to the fellow's brittle chin with such true accuracy and force that the combatant, reeling and set down with such extreme violence that the blowman shut from his grasp and he remained seated, face to back, whimpering curses.

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## Mark Damrosch's Golden Jubilee

Festivities in celebration of Walter Damrosch's half century as a symphony conductor and crusader for good music, a quarter of which has been devoted to radio, will be heard by listeners in a special broadcast.

From 8 to 9 p.m. P.M.T., the National Broadcasting Company will broadcast a programme honoring the veteran music composer, over a coast-to-coast network. Frank Signer will conduct several of Dr. Damrosch's compositions, including his arrangement of Bach's prelude and chorale, "A Mighty Fortress, Is Our God," the chorale of which will be sung by a chorus of 200 school children. Several leaders of national life will also be in the studio to pay tribute to the doctor. Stations will include KPO, KJB and KFI.

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## Former Dancer to Plead for Animals

Mrs. Irene Castle McLaughlin, once internationally renowned as a dancer and now known for her interest in humane animal treatment, will be interviewed over the C.V. radio network from 10 to 10:15 a.m. P.M.T., tomorrow, in connection with the observance in the United States of "Be Kind to Animals Week." Her interpreter will be Robert Trout, CBO announcer, and the interview will be conducted in the studios of WABC, New York.

Since the death of her first husband and dancing partner, Vernon Castle, in the World War, and the subsequent renunciation of her dancing career, Mrs. McLaughlin has devoted a great deal of her time to animal welfare. She is the founder and proprietor of the famous "Orphans of the Storm" shelter for unclaimed dogs, located at Deerfield, Ill. Stations will include KOL, KVI and KBL.

## Clubwomen's News

George Presbyterian Tea—The Ladies' W.A. held a very successful Church have arranged for a silver tea to be held in the church school room, on Friday afternoon, April 12, from 3 to 5 p.m. There will also be a table of home-made goods for sale. All friends will be welcomed.

Pro Patria Bazaar Success—Pro Patria W.A. held a very successful bazaar on Saturday, a goodly sum being realized from the various stalls. In the evening court which was played, the winners being: First, Miss Hester; second, Mrs. Adson; third, Mrs. Morris. The winners of the contests were as follows: Cushion, Mrs. Brown; table cloth, Mrs. Morris. The permanent wave, donated by Mrs. Demers, will be drawn next Monday evening at the regular meeting of the W.A. Afternoon tea was served. The auxiliary wishes to thank the following firms, who so kindly sent donations: Hudson's Bay Co., Kreggs, Metro-Goldwyn, General Warehouse, Woodward's, Self-Canadian, McDevin's Bakery, Mr. Baines, Elk Park Dairy, etc. etc. etc.

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## ANNUAL RUGBY DANCE IN MAY

Committees have been formed and arrangements are well in hand for the third annual rugby dance to be held under the auspices of the Fifth (B.C.) Coast Brigade, C.A., in the Empress Hotel Ballroom, on Friday, May 10, from 9 to 1 o'clock.

A splendid seven-piece orchestra has been engaged and many naval, military and civil celebrities are expected to be present.

Tickets may be had by telephoning H. 5128 or from any of the following committees: Major R. E. Kerr, Major R. E. A. Dwyer, 2nd-Lieut. R. Buller, Staff-Sergeant E. S. Blair, Charlie Morton, Alex. Grant, Whally Ship, Jack Ferguson, G. Felt, Dan Dorwell, Cyril Doherty.

## WOMAN WINS IN HUNGER STRIKE

Bess, Calif., April 11.—The hunger strike of Lucy Craig, forty-five-year-old spinster, who said she wanted a job and not the dole, ended to-day in victory, said her volunteer attendant, Mrs. O. E. Shuman.

Mrs. Shuman asserted that after receiving a three-man Emergency Relief Administration committee that promised her work, Mrs. Craig took of some tonic, but her first food in five and one-half days.

Protecting that she wanted "work relief," and was "direct relief" from the government, and that her fellow relief-minded neighbors had the same way about it, Mrs. Craig began her "fast for a principle" last Friday.

"I have no children, and I could die for the principle, if necessary," she asserted.

"Direct relief breaks the morale of the people. It robs them of their self-respect, makes them lazy and eventually they become willing to remain idle and let the government support them."

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**CHILDREN'S SECTION**

Report for Week 22, Ending April 5, 1966

**Duncan, April 11.**—The monthly meeting of the Duncan city council was held Tuesday evening at the city

The resignation of L. Ashby from the position of assistant clerk, was received, and Leo Holm was appointed in his place.

Dinner was taken place over the Silver Jubilee celebrations in Duncan on May 6. The mayor appointed himself and Alderman Corbishley a committee to act with representatives from the North Cowichan municipality and other local societies, with a view to holding a programme of children's sports on that day. The council voted \$100 towards the programme.

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## NO NEED FOR COMMUNISM

Canada's Alternative Not What Some People Think, Says Denis Murphy

"It has been asked by many, can we control the economic life of Canada within a capitalistic framework or must we adopt Communism?" said Denis Murphy, Vancouver lawyer, in an address to the Twentieth Century Young Liberals Club in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday evening.

Mr. Murphy said he did not think any such alternative faced the Dominion. Certain economic abuses must be corrected, however.

As for Premier Bennett's reforms, he thought, as a lawyer, that many of them would be held by the courts as unconstitutional.

It was apparent, he said, that a change in Canada's constitution was necessary and pressure should be applied to both Dominion and provincial governments to this end. The chief objective was the relief of unemployment, upon which the very existence of the country depended. Remedial legislation would then follow to put Canada back on its feet.

Mr. Murphy described the British trade treaties as unpopular in the British Isles and the other Dominions. As a result of them tremendous surpluses had been created and in the case of the lumber industry forests were being glutted at prices ruinous to the industry.

Alan Chambers occupied the chair. The following officers were elected: William Leveson, president; R. Doherty, first vice-president; Miss M. Miller, second vice-president; L. A. Bounding, secretary; C. Webb, treasurer; A. E. Anderson, William Maynard, G. A. Thanooh, H. Vale and Miss M. Harris, executive.

## Injured Boy Dies At Shawigan Lake

Ottawa, April 10.—Randall More, fourteen, who suffered a fracture of the skull when he fell from his horse at Shawigan Lake, March 31, died yesterday in hospital here. He was the only son of Dr. and Mrs. George More of Shawigan Lake.

## LADYSHIP

Ladysmith, April 11.—Prize winners at the whist drive and dance held under the auspices of the Native Sons and Daughters Saturday evening in their hall were as follows: Ladies, Mrs. J. McDonald; second, Mrs. W. Sanderson; gentleman, Mr. J. Doherty; second, A. McLennan. Following the games, dancing was enjoyed to the Merry Western waltzes.

Mrs. J. Gourlay, Vancouver, is visiting her son, daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Gourlay.

Reports from Argentina are greater than a year ago.



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## Teachers Here In Easter Week

Sixteenth Annual Convention of B.C. Federation to Open April 22; Many Interesting Papers Will Be Presented; Premier to Give Address

School teachers of British Columbia will spend the first four days of their Easter holiday attending the sixteenth annual convention of the British Columbia Teachers' Federation.

The gathering, which also marks the nineteenth annual general meeting of the federation, will be held at the Empress Hotel here. Approximately 500 delegates from all over the province are expected.

The Victoria Teachers' Federation, headed by W. H. Wilson, president, will play hosts to the visiting delegates.

Leaders in public and private schools will address the teachers during the convention and a variety of important matters in connection with school work will be discussed.

The first session is scheduled for 7:30 o'clock on the night of April 22, following registration in the afternoon. This will be the annual general meeting over which J. R. Mitchell, president, will preside. Reports and financial statement will be presented. The meeting will continue the following morning with

debate resolutions and election of officers. Stated for consideration is a legislative bill dealing with professional membership for teachers. Tuesday the principals will tender a luncheon over which F. C. Bove, superintendent of the Boys' Industrial School will preside. Major R. E. King, technical adviser to the government on the educational finance survey, will give an address on "Curriculum Revision."

In the afternoon sub-sectional meetings will be held to discuss matters affecting high schools, junior high schools, elementary schools, rural schools, home economics and shop teachers.

MAYOR TO TENDER WELCOME

Tuesday night a public meeting will be held in the ballroom of the Crystal Garden. Mayor David Lougheed will convey the city's welcome and greetings will be conveyed by W. C. Morison, chairman of the Victoria School Board. D. Chapman, president of the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Association and Mrs. T. A. Barnard of the British Columbia Parent-Teacher Association, H. E. Boudreau, of the federation will read Professor G. O. Sedgewick, of U.S.A. will give the feature address entitled "In Times Like These."

Sectional meetings are scheduled for Wednesday morning and at noon a grand convention rally luncheon will be held with Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson of the First United Church as the speaker.

At the afternoon session Wednesday, Premier Pattullo will give an

address on "Education to a Public Service."

## PROVINCIAL RECEPTION

The provincial government will give a reception to the delegates at the provincial archives in the evening to be followed by the convention dance in the Empress ballroom.

The convention will conclude at a final session Thursday morning.

Shortly a mass of papers and addresses will be presented during the convention. Among them are the following:

Dr. G. O. Sedgewick "Objectives in the teaching of Grammar"; Dr. M. D. Morison, "A Textbook in Formal Composition"; W. M. Armstrong, "A Revision of the English Course"; W. C. Wilson, discussion in model geometry and algebra papers; Thomas Anderson-Morgan, "History of Language and Methods"; Dr. H. M. Morrison, "The Social Studies and the Junior High School"; Miss E. R. Vancouver, "Learning to Read and Print in the Primary Grades"; Miss E. A. Faust, Vancouver, "Music in the Grades"; G. J. Thomas, B.A., Vancouver, "The New Arithmetic Course in the Senior Grades"; F. E. Sheffield, Nelson, "Problems of Nationalism and Language"; W. H. Boudreau, Vancouver, "Classical Education"; E. H. B. A. Vancouver, "The Experimental School."

## NEW ASSOCIATION PROPOSED

On Wednesday morning the junior high school section will hold a joint meeting with the senior high school section to discuss a proposed "Secondary Teachers' Association."

A programme of sports will be arranged in conjunction with the gathering. A golf tournament will be held at Uplands Golf Course, conducted by H. G. English, R. H. Heywood will be in charge of badminton, H. Desjardins and A. Campbell of bowling with R. E. Heywood as the general convenor of sports.

## WHEAT SUPPLY

Ottawa, April 11 (Canadian Press)—A decrease of more than 1,000,000 bushels was shown in Canadian wheat in store for the week ended April 5, when the visible supply was 228,000,000 bushels compared with a revised figure of 231,557,750 bushels the previous week, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports. Wheat in store for the corresponding week last year amounted to 222,755,750 bushels.

## POOR PA

BY CLAUDE CALLAN



"Dave was so close with his first wife that she bought her clothes at bargain sales, so he quit her an' married a lovely tailored suit that hadn't been marked down."

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## To Mark Inception Of Empire Services

The first anniversary of the inception of Dr. Glen Davies' Sunday services at the Empire Theatre will be marked with an anniversary party in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium next Tuesday.

A ladies' committee of the church has the programme arrangements in hand, and will serve refreshments. More than 600 members have already signified their intention of attending the function, Dr. Davies reports.

## F.O.E. FOUNDING HERE RECALLED

J. M. Hughes and F. LeRoy Give Anniversary Reminiscences to Local Aerie

The days when the Victoria Aerie or Eagles was undergoing its organization, and its founding here thirty-six years ago on April 8, in what is now the "Balmston" Army headquarters, were recalled by two charter members of the aerie yesterday evening at the anniversary banquet in the Eagles Hall.

J. M. Hughes, first president, and Frank LeRoy, first chaplain, were the speakers. They told how the organization had started on its founding night with forty-two members, and how it had gradually spread since that time. The only other charter members who held membership to day are Henry Siebenbaum and Jack Weidman.

The banquet was presided over by Dr. Hugh Clarke, president.

Program of the aerie candidates in the May Queen contest, Miss May Clarke, was reported to the members by J. R. B. Graham. He announced there would be a dance in the hall on May 12 when the candidate would be presented to the members.

Nominations for officers will be received on April 24 at a dinner to be held in the hall, it was announced.

## Nanaimo Musical Festival Results

Nanaimo, April 11.—At the afternoon session of the Upper Island Musical Festival some close adjudications were made. Dr. Robson was well pleased with the contestants in the elocution classes. He stressed the fact that there must be true vowel color.

He remarked upon the fine quality of the boys' voices, which, he said, were very musical, of good quality and good intonation. The junior choir came in for special commendation and he asked the two choirs, Duncan and Nanaimo, to sing combined to his accompaniment. Nanaimo children were successful in carrying off four firsts in individual contests and two firsts in choir singing. Marygold Nash, Duncan, proved a popular winner of two firsts and a second. She won a first prize in the morning session, winning the contralto solo under nineteen years.

Ladysmith contestants were to the fore, winning two firsts and one second.

Afternoon Session—Class 75, elocution, girls under ten years: First, Dorothy Lowther, Nanaimo, 68 marks; second, Viola Mason, Nanaimo, 52 marks; Class 76, elocution, girls under ten years: First, Betty Beattie, Ladysmith, 50 marks; second, Sheila Trotter, Ladysmith, 78 marks; Class 77, violin, under ten years: First, Katherine Gregson, Ladysmith, 64 marks; second, John Walker, Port Alberni, 78 marks; Class 10, junior choir, competing for Agnes Rogers shield: First, R. S. Andrew's Presbyterian Choir, 100 marks; Class 51, vocal solo, boys: First, Lloyd Bertram, Nanaimo, 58 marks; second, Eddie McGinnis, Nanaimo, 50 marks; Class 51, elocution, rural schools, under ten years: First, D'Arcy Mitchell, Nanaimo, 61 marks; second, Rachel Leach, Nanaimo, 52 marks; Class 9, girls' choir, under nineteen years, 15 to 25 voices: First, St. Andrew's United Choir, Nanaimo, 100 marks; second, Queen Margaret's School, Duncan, 100 marks; Class 45, piano, under sixteen years: First, Andy Duncan, Nanaimo, 84 marks; second, Marygold Nash, Duncan, 82 marks; Class 10, vocal solo with piano accompaniment: First, Marygold Nash and J. Dick, Duncan, 58 marks; second, E. McGinnis and D. West, Nanaimo, 79 marks; Class 79, elocution, girls, under sixteen years: First, Marygold Nash, Duncan, 68 marks.





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The Easter Hat Festival Features

### CINEMA HATS For Friday





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**For Easter**

"VALUSETTE" by Lady Mac

Let us help you look your very best this Easter—by modeling your figure in one of the new Lady Mac "VALUSETTES". They are lovely to look at, lovely to wear, and splendidly durable... really outstanding value. We can mould your figure perfectly with this specially designed garment. Come in and see the range.

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Your Easter Costume Requires Clever Costume Jewelry

A glorious array in the newest designs! Carved malachite crepe, polka dot, Colosseum gold, Vienna, the filigree gold; Monte Carlo turquoise gold; white stone and champagne. Costume Jewelry adds greater charm! Popularly priced at **98c**

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Boiled Mutton, very choice, per lb. 27¢  
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BUTTER, Madrasa First Grade, 2 lbs. **75c**

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SINGAPORE PRESERVES, small, per tin **5c**  
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Large Double pot, special assortment, per bag **15c**  
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# BING CROSBY AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Popular Crooner Has Leading Role With Splendid Cast in "Here Is My Heart"

Paramount's new comedy, with songs from "Here Is My Heart," now at the Playhouse Theatre, presents Bing Crosby with one of the best supporting casts he has had in a film. It includes Kitty Carlisle, first seen with Crosby in "She Loves Me Not"; Alton Squire, Ronald Young, star of the Broadway hit, "The Music Man"; and Reginald Owen, character actor, widely acclaimed for his portrayal in "Of Human Bondage."

The story of "Here Is My Heart" concerns a millionaire crooner who is hiding around the world in search of a girl who has been his sweetheart since childhood. He is in love with an unobtainable Russian princess when he sees her in an elevator.

Also being shown as the second feature is "Pat" Paterson in "Call It Luck."

"SEQUOIA" COMING TO CAPITOL ON SATURDAY

The most amazing revelation of Nature's intimate secrets ever attempted for the screen is to be seen in "Sequoia," commencing "Sequoia," starting outdoor drama featuring Jean Parker and to be shown at the Capitol Theatre Saturday.

Nearly two years in the making, the picture deals with a friendship between a deer and a mountain lion, two of Nature's most deadly enemies.

Raised together from the "bottle feeding" age, the two animals are shown fighting the wild together.

Stuart Erwin as might be surmised, the exploited Bruce while Ann Sothern, the lovely, headstrong, determined secretary who persuades the Declaration of Independence for him.

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# Where To Go To-night

Capitol—Gary Cooper in "The Wedding Night."  
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# Popular Team At Columbia

The screen version of Daniel Ross's delightful Broadway comedy hit, "The Party's Over," will make its local bow at the Columbia Theatre to-day with a prominent cast of featured players headed by the comic duo of Stuart Erwin and Ann Sothern.

The new film is written in the hilarious vein of "Three Cornered Moon," one of the last season's brightest comedy-dramas, and depicts the uproarious goings on in the domestic relations of the Blakely household.

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# "Rhythm Hi-Lites" To Open To-morrow

To-morrow afternoon will be the first local presentation of the smart new Wilbur Cushman revival "Hi-Lites of Rhythm," at the Empire Theatre. There will also be performances in the evening and several times on Saturday.

This show is coming to Victoria still ringing with the applause of large audiences in many parts of Canada and the United States. The various members of the company were recruited from Broadway theatres and leading playhouses in Chicago. Since its formation, the company has travelled across the continent to Los Angeles and up the coast to Vancouver.

Judging by the line-up of stars with the revue, all the praise meted out to the show was warranted. There are twenty-five stars with "Hi-Lites," and all of them are splendid entertainers and all share in the applause that has greeted their every appearance.

A really smart background drop is being carried for the revue and this will be swung into position at the Empire Theatre for the first performance to-morrow afternoon.

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## Judge Landis Soon Slows Down Dizzy

High Commissioner of Baseball Leaves Great Dean Speechless By Asking Him Who He Was; Dean and Buck Newsom Absolved From Accepting Bribes; Landis Issues Warning

By CHARLES DUNKLEY  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
Chicago, April 11.—Kenan Mountain Landis, commissioner of baseball, raised a warning finger over his grey head yesterday, telling that no ball player, not even the great Jerome "Dizzy" Dean could expect to accept money from anyone not connected with his club for anything he did or did not do on the baseball field.

Commissioner Landis made this ruling at a hearing into the money game of the pitching ace of the St. Louis Cardinals and Louis "Buck" Newsom, pitcher for the St. Louis Browns, with Dick Stock, a furniture dealer of St. Louis. Both Dean and Newsom were absolved from accepting a bribe from Stock.

FOR RADIO WORK  
The ruler of baseball was not hard to convince that neither Dean nor Newsom had accepted any money other than for radio appearances on behalf of the furniture company, owned by the Earl St. Louis baseball fan.

The hearing was the result of a published story quoting Stock as having paid Dean \$5,000 to make up the \$25,000 demanded by him, and to "keep quiet" in the Cardinals family. Dean admitted that he had signed a contract with Stock for this season for \$25,000 to be paid for radio services three times a week, and for appearances at his store on Saturday nights. Newsom admitted the same thing, but did not reveal the amount he was to receive for his services.

The pitching hero of the Cardinals, which was a letter-driven deal, behind which the commissioner presided.

"Nothing to it, judge, as far as I know," Dean replied. "I got a contract with Stock for \$25,000, this season, for radio work and personal appearances at his store. That's all. He's a pretty nice guy, judge, and he's got lots of dough."

Landis reached for the contract Dean pulled from inside his blue double-breasted coat, and then he asked:

"Just answer my question, Dizzy. Does it interest you to know where 'lots of dough' comes from?"

The commissioner Landis read over a bunch of newspaper clippings before him.

"What about this \$100 per game for every game you win last year?" Landis asked.

Dizzy said he could not understand how such a story could have been printed. He said he was paid \$2,000 last year for his radio work on behalf of the store.

DEAN CURIOUS  
After Commissioner Landis had issued his warning about the danger of accepting money from individuals outside of baseball, Dean suddenly cut in with this question:

"Say, listen judge, suppose a guy comes up and hands you \$25,000 or \$50,000, what about it?"

Landis informed him that people don't go around doing that. Then he waved his finger over his head: "If anybody offers you that amount of money 'just for doing nothing,' you kick his teeth in, or promise me that you'll grab a baseball bat and hit him on the head."

Dean, mouthed replied, "Yes, sir," and walked out. The hearing was over.

CARPET BOWLING  
Registering successive victories in the semi-final and final, W. Cockerill, Lake Hill trundler, yesterday evening won the men's singles championship of the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League tournament.

In the semi-final, the Lake Hill bowler defeated W. B. Colvin, 21 to 17, and then, in the final, con-

## Monarchs-Sudbury In Second Tussle

Winnipeg, April 11.—Hiding a winning edge into the home stretch, Winnipeg Monarchs, scrappy western junior hockey kings, sailed along in the lead today in the race for Memorial Cup honors. But there were storm signals posted as they reached for a second victory in eight over Sudbury Cub Wolves that would give the west its eighth Dominion title in fourteen years.

Defeated in the first of a three-game series, Tuesday night, Wolves, conquerors of the east, remained quietly confident they would pull off a night's duel out of the fire and force a third game Saturday. Miss Silverman, Sudbury coach, said his men were not a bit discouraged by the setback.

## GOOD BOUTS AT SCHOOL

Cranleigh House Boys Show Fine Form in Boxing and Gymnastic Display

Kern competition marked the efforts of Cranleigh House School boys in their quest of boxing and gymnastic titles at the school this week. Before a large crowd of enthusiastic friends and parents, the boys displayed good form in their bouts and other exhibitions.

The winner of the midgets' class, J. Carr, had a tough fight with W. Cropper before he could earn the decision. In this division C. Mayell and B. Butler showed promise.

The judge, J. Neary, had great difficulty in picking the winner of the middleweight division. R. Hornefield, P. Denish and G. Botham all fought so cleverly and gamely. Finally the title went to P. Denish, who showed slight superiority in attack. R. Forster and B. Jennings, two beginners, fought well.

Another close decision went to A. Denish, who just outpointed M. Harnison for the senior title. This final bout was a fast affair, with both boys showing no small amount of skill. P. Jeanneret and P. Morfield fought to a draw, and B. Jennings and K. Walker showed up well.

M. Harnison, by a near-perfect exhibition, was declared senior winner in the gymnastics, and the junior title was won by P. Denish.

The presentation of the cups by the Rev. Canon Munro, and the serving of refreshments by Mrs. Milton, brought a successful evening to a close.

## J. C. TRUDEAU PASSES AWAY

Majority Stockholder in Montreal Baseball Club Dies in Florida

Orlando, Fla., April 11.—J. C. Trudeau, Canadian millionaire, and largest stockholder in the Montreal International League baseball team, died at a hospital yesterday evening of pneumonia.

Trudeau, who was forty-five years old, had been in a weakened condition since Friday when he was moved to hospital.

The Royals Club, of which the prominent oil man was vice-president, is in spring training here. Manager Frank Shaughnessy of the club said Trudeau had been almost a daily visitor at the ball park from the time he arrived here three weeks ago until he was removed to hospital.

Death came a day by Mrs. Trudeau and a daughter to reach Orlando. They left Montreal yesterday morning by airplane.

Trudeau's successful march by defeating T. Currie of Lake Hill 21 to 19. Monday evening at the A.O.F. Hall, a friendly match will be played between the A.O.F. Marionettes, champions of the women's section, and the Lake Hill Wildcats, men's champions.

## RUGBY UNION SHOWS PROFIT

Local Group Made \$150 on Season; Arthur H. Cox New President

The Victoria Rugby Union made a profit of \$150 on its operations during the 1934-35 season, according to a statement by F. N. Cabell, secretary, following yesterday evening's annual meeting of that body.

The union now has \$250 in the bank and is owed \$510 by Vancouver. The local body started last season with a cash balance of \$100.

The meeting confirmed the election of Arthur H. Cox, prominent James Bay Athletic Association figure, to the presidency of the union. R. D. Travis, Canadian Scottish rugby leader, was named first vice-president, and Paymaster Lieutenant F. R. Nixon was elected second vice-president. George Paulin was re-elected as secretary and F. N. Cabell as treasurer.

Tribute to the officers and men who had served the union during last season was paid by Casey Martin, retiring president.

He spoke of the manner in which Victoria had retained the McKeehan Cup and landed highly Coach Reilly, Bosterworth, Bob McInnes and Charlie Macdonald.

More suitable allotment of the Athletic Park to the rugby group, claiming the absence of grandstand and bleachers at Macdonald Park worked against the interests of the rugby group.

In addition to thanking the retiring officers for their assistance during the year, the retiring president expressed his appreciation of the co-operation of the chairman and members of the referees board, city parks board, the reeve and Oak Bay Council, and the press.

George Paulin gave a report on the games played during the season, and Mr. Cabell presented his financial statement.

CUPS WON  
Mr. Martin presented cups won during the season. The trophies were as follows:

McKeehan Cup, championship of British Columbia, won by Victoria. Bernard Cup, championship of the Victoria Rugby Union, won by the Navy.

Cowichan Trophy, championship of Vancouver Island, won by Fifth Brigade.

Fordham Johnson Cup, all-army championship, won by Fifth Brigade. Don Heyland Cup, championship of the Intermediate League, won by Wanderers' Blues.

The state of officers, other than those previously mentioned, follow: Patron, Lieutenant-Governor J. W. Fordham Johnson; honorary pres-

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dent, Mayor David Leeming; honorary secretary, David Leeming; treasurer, Mayor Leeming; George Jay, W. E. K. Morley, R. F. Curtis, A. Gillespie, Col. M. A. Kent, C. Swaine, B. C. Nicholas, Revo R. W. Mayhew, Commodore G. C. Jones, Major-General R. C. Ashton, R. F. Taylor, A. T. Goward and Hon. P. McPherson; auditor, D. Despecher; chairman of the intermediate league, Johnny Reid; and chairman of the school league, B. E. McInnes.

APPOINTMENT LEFT OVER  
Appointment of the chairman of the referees board was left to the incoming executive.

Nominations for executive positions on the British Columbia Rugby Union were made as follows: President, Russell Kerr; first vice-president, Jack Underhill, Vancouver; second vice-president, R. E. McInnes; secretary, R. E. McInnes; and treasurer, J. Goward, Vancouver. Those named will be placed before the delegates attending the annual meeting of the B.C.R.U. at Vancouver on Wednesday, April 17.

The meeting confirmed the appointment of President A. H. Cox and H. J. Ketchen as Victoria's representatives on the new four-man board to be established in provincial and local ball circles for the coming season.

K. R. F. Denniston suggested that each club entering a team in the Victoria Rugby Union last season should be asked to contribute a sum of \$100. This move would, he felt, assure the union of having plenty of arbiters, and would mean that the men would only need to referee on alternate weeks.

## ICE PLAYERS ON INCREASE

Halifax, April 11.—Report of registrar-treasurer W. A. Hewitt of Toronto to the annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association here yesterday showed for the season of 1934-35 a registration of 20,477, an increase in all but two branches and within twenty-two of last year's registration, which was an all-time record.

Registration of the ten branches shows the following table: Alberta, 1,281; British Columbia, 2,116; Manitoba, 1,600; Ontario, 9,948; Quebec, 3,322; Saskatchewan, 626; Thunder Bay, 1,100; Nova Scotia, 1,100; Prince Edward Island, 1,100; and New Brunswick, 1,100.

Since the start of 1925-26 registration of hockey players in Canada has jumped from 4,478 to 20,477, showing a steady climb generally.

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Abandoning the semi-defensive style of play copied from the once mighty Montreal Royals, the Halifax pack went right in after the invaders yesterday evening and put three bombs into the Royal fortress before the hard-pressed Royals could get organized.

When the Quebec-Ontario champions finally swept across no man's land in the second period to flash the red light behind "Daddy" Baber they were routed by a counter-attack that recovered all lost ground in a minute.

STIFF DEFENCE  
Not until the final clash did the Montrealers become the aggressors and then Wolverines were playing the defence. From Peniston and Seagulls, a fourth encounter, scheduled for tomorrow night, the winners meeting Port Arthur Beavers in the first game of the Allan Cup finale Monday.

It's a sure bet Jack Conn will be in the box with his men to-morrow. He used to think he was a Jonah, but yesterday evening he was beside Coach Red Stuart and helped the former professional star pilot Wolverines to victory.

EASY COUNTER  
Captain Mike Moeber put his pack on six minutes after the opening, netting an easy goal after Chumie Lawlor had cleared the Montreal defence.

Lawlor was a hero again little more than a minute after the second opened when Halifax was one man short. Trapping the rampant Royals down the ice, he aged in on Patsy Seagulls, beating him nicely on a backhand shot as Herman Murray checked.

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The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of the water.

The figures for high water to distance from low water are given. When there is a change in the tide, the figures are given for the first and last of the tide.

# Wage Increases For 9,000 Coast Seamen

**Arbitration Board Awards More Pay, But Controversy Still Raging; Increases Involve \$100,000 a Month**

San Francisco, April 11.—Awards by an arbitration board of increased wages to seamen involved in last summer's coastwise marine strike found controversy still raging to-day on the month-long tanker strike as a mediation board stood by to assist in any negotiations that may be started.

Announcement of the award yesterday evening was coincident with new charges that the attitude of unions involved in the tanker strike "echoes the formula of gangsterism."

From the strikers' side came the announcement of the San Francisco Council of Marine Craft's representatives some 15,000 workers including longshoremen, that it had voted support of the striking tanker seamen.

The agreement reached by the arbitration board provided for a 10 per cent increase for the 9,000 seamen of the Pacific coast, and a 5 per cent increase for the 10,000 seamen of the Atlantic coast. It does not involve seamen now striking on the tankers.

**\$100,000 A MONTH**  
Under its terms employers of affected vessels agree to grant employment to 10,000 seamen at the lowest pay of unlicensed personnel is increased from 8 per cent in higher brackets to 25 per cent in the lowest. It involves an estimated \$100,000 per month increase. The award is effective until Sept. 30, 1935, and then is automatically renewed unless either side gives notice it is not satisfied. The pay increases are retroactive to December 1, 1934.

The award also does away with the hiring hall and provides for a labor relations board to adjust any differences in disputes.

The "gangsterism" charges issued by tankship owners in response to a telegram sent President Roosevelt Tuesday by the striking tanker unions. This telegram, the ship owners statement said, was misleading in saying their members now are on strike "for the sole purpose of securing their rights for collective bargaining." The employers asserted "closed shop" is the union's ultimate object and that the unions had refused to arbitrate this issue.

## PILOTS' LOOKOUT

Balboa, passed Victoria, outbound, 2:30 p.m.  
Ruth Alexander, due Victoria, from California ports, at midnight.

# VESSEL GETS NEW BLADES

**Ss. Prince George Will Re-enter Service Shortly, After Annual Overhaul**

Vancouver, April 11.—Ss. Prince George of the Canadian National Line, undergoing a complete overhaul at Prince Rupert, is expected to re-enter service by the end of April, the company reported to-day.

The vessel is being fitted with an entirely new set of propeller blades. She is now at the shipyard at Alert Bay, shortly before going into drydock, which necessitated the old set being replaced.

A full cargo of wheat for London will be loaded by the Ss. York City, reported to-day, which arrived here yesterday.

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## Deep Sea Movements

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## French and German Sailors Friendly

Port of Spain, Trinidad, April 11.—While France and Germany fought at each other on land, the fellowship of the sea links their fighting men on the other side of the Atlantic.

Criticism of both nations, paying visits to Port of Spain, accorded each other friendly salutes last week. The French Jeanne d'Arc, lying at anchor, was held in the dock from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. by the German Deutschland, which arrived here yesterday.

## LANGFORD

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Prince Rupert branch of the Canadian Legion, was held in the club room on Sunday evening. The president, Mrs. A. G. Macle, was in the chair.

The social convener reported that the proposed concert scheduled to take place during Easter week for the collection has been postponed until some time during May. The library is now open to members of the Legion. The members of the present branch joined the W.A. for refreshments, the hostesses for the evening being Mrs. Pitt and Mrs. Macle.

# BARQUE TO SAIL IN GRAIN RACE

Seattle, April 11.—The four-masted barque *Montezuma*, now in Seattle Harbor for repairs, will leave Northwest ports shortly on a voyage to Australia with a cargo of lumber.

After discharging at Sydney, she will load there and enter the annual grain race to Australia. She is owned by Capt. G. Brown, who has been appointed her master.

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## OVERHAUL POLICE BOAT

The motorship *Admiral*, operated by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police out of Esquimalt was floated off the slipway at the Yarrow plant in Esquimalt harbor this morning after annual overhaul, cleaning and painting.

## YBETS KONE

Kobe, Japan, April 11.—On her way around the world, the *Ybets Kone*, a Japanese liner, arrived here this morning. She is on her way to Victoria and Vancouver, and will be in port at the same time.

## DUE AT ALBERTA

The British freighter *Belvedere* is expected to arrive at Victoria tomorrow afternoon from Japanese ports. She will later load lumber at Victoria and Vancouver for the British Isles.

## SALES SATURDAY

Outward bound to ports in Japan, China and the Philippines, the *Ybets Kone*, a Japanese liner, arrived here this morning. She is on her way to Victoria and Vancouver, and will be in port at the same time.

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## EASTERN MAN GETS TROPHY

Flight-Lieut. E. G. Fullerton of Rockcliffe is awarded McKee Aviation Trophy.

Ottawa, April 11.—The Department of National Defence to-day announced the award of the McKee Aviation Trophy to Flight-Lieut. E. G. Fullerton of Rockcliffe, a Canadian Air Force station at Rockcliffe, Ontario.

The trophy was awarded to Fullerton for his contribution in the year to Canadian aviation. McKee was the companion of Wing Commander Earl A. Godfrey, Fullerton's commanding officer on the first flight across Canada.

Of the seven previous awards five were made to pilots closely identified with flying in Canada in connection with development and exploration, while the 1934 award went to Squadron Leader J. H. Tuckey, of the civil aviation branch of the Department of National Defence, for work on surveys for the transatlantic airway. The 1935 award went to Maurice Burdette, Edmonton Flying Club instructor.

## Continuing Movements

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# CIVIL AIR TRAFFIC UP

**Over 100,000 Passengers Traveled by Airplanes in Canada During 1934**

Ottawa, April 11.—Statistics issued by the Department of National Defence show a vigorous upturn in civil aviation activities in 1934 compared with the previous year and 1932. The report points out no subsidies are paid air transport companies, and that it can be claimed fully by itself.

The figures show Canadian civil aircraft flew 75,781 hours last year, an increase of more than 20,000 hours over 1933 figures and almost 19,000 hours over 1932 flying. The planes flew 6,697,897 miles, carrying 105,596 passengers, 14,441,179 pounds of freight and 1,055,000 mail.

The increase in the number of passengers flown was approximately 51,000 compared with 1933, and almost 40,000 compared with 1932. Freight flown, mostly in northern mining areas, was more than 10,000,000 pounds heavier than in 1933 and more than 11,000,000 heavier than the previous year. Weight of mail was up about 90,000 pounds.

The number of aircraft operators increased from ninety in 1933 to 120 in 1934, while the number of licensed pilots rose from 345 to 368, but remained less than in 1932, when 445 were registered.

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## MOONRISE, MOONSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1935:

Day	Month	Time
1	March	7:00 a.m.
2	March	7:01 a.m.
3	March	7:02 a.m.
4	March	7:03 a.m.
5	March	7:04 a.m.
6	March	7:05 a.m.
7	March	7:06 a.m.
8	March	7:07 a.m.
9	March	7:08 a.m.
10	March	7:09 a.m.
11	March	7:10 a.m.
12	March	7:11 a.m.
13	March	7:12 a.m.
14	March	7:13 a.m.
15	March	7:14 a.m.
16	March	7:15 a.m.
17	March	7:16 a.m.
18	March	7:17 a.m.
19	March	7:18 a.m.
20	March	7:19 a.m.
21	March	7:20 a.m.
22	March	7:21 a.m.
23	March	7:22 a.m.
24	March	7:23 a.m.
25	March	7:24 a.m.
26	March	7:25 a.m.
27	March	7:26 a.m.
28	March	7:27 a.m.
29	March	7:28 a.m.
30	March	7:29 a.m.
31	March	7:30 a.m.

# FIRST SHIP OF YEAR AT QUEBEC

Quebec, April 11.—Having overcome circumstances, the *Montezuma*, the first ship of the year to reach the port of Quebec to-day, according to reports here, first came to anchor in the harbor last year was the *Montezuma*, docking April 11.

## MAN KILLED ABOARD SHIP

**Oriental Feud Results in Death Aboard Rashin Maru**

Honolulu, April 11.—An Oriental feud brought the *Rashin Maru*, a Japanese freighter, to Honolulu yesterday.

Officers said Yan Shu Pa, forty-four-year-old Chinese sailor, stabbed and killed Chan Tsun Men, twenty-eight, Chinese coal passer, because a relative of Chan owed Tsun \$2.50.

The eight-year-old feud, owed by the chief fireman, a relative of Chan, started a family feud which was continued with the stabbing Tuesday night aboard the *Rashin Maru*.

The sailor layd the coal on the lonely poop deck as Chan went on watch, officers said, stabbing him in the leg and chest.

The attacker fled to the mainmast, where he remained for half an hour brandishing a .38-inch revolver. He was arrested when he fled to his bunk and turned over to federal officers here.

The *Rashin Maru* was en route with lumber from Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., to Sydney, Australia.

## Plan Excursion To Port Angeles

The annual excursion of the C.P.R. Social and Athletic Club will be held to Port Angeles on Saturday, May 4. It was announced this morning.

The *St. Princess Elizabeth* will take the excursion party across the Straits to Port Angeles, leaving Victoria at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and returning from Angeles at 7 o'clock in the evening.

This excursion is becoming more popular every year and is eagerly looked forward to by an increasing number of Victorians.

An orchestra will again be carried on the *Princess Elizabeth* for those who care to dance and trips to nearby islands and bays will also be available at special rates.

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# ILL-FATED MEN KNOWN IN B.C.

**One of Men Who Perished With Ss. Blairgowrie in Atlantic Served on This Coast**

Vancouver, April 11.—The sinking of the British freighter *Blairgowrie* in a terrible storm on the North Atlantic last winter, with the loss of all hands, brings directly to Vancouver the realization of the tragedy of the sea, for members of the ill-fated crew were well known by men in this port. Five of the lost seamen were schoolmates of the late J. T. (Tommy) Thompson of this city. The chief engineer of the *Blairgowrie* Board first-hand served his time under the chief engineer of the *Blairgowrie*.

The most direct association, however, is in the death of Matthew Barr, an addresser last, who was well known here, as he served out of this port for years with Hudson's Bay Co. vessels. He was a member of the *Blairgowrie* when she left here in 1922 to attempt to rescue the crew of the schooner *Lady Kindersley*, locked in Arctic ice. He was a member of the *Blairgowrie* crew when she was wrecked and destroyed in the storm.

The tragedy of the *Blairgowrie* showed also some contrasts of good and bad luck. Two friends of the crew, who had a good wartime record and won the D.C.M., on the *Tigra*, was also decorated with the Victoria Cross for his service on the *Blairgowrie* for service on the rescue voyage to aid the *Lady Kindersley*.

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## SS. AQUITANIA IS REFLOATED

Southampton, April 11.—The *SS. Aquitania*, of the Cunard-White Star Line, after being aground since yesterday afternoon on a mudbank, was refloated at 5:10 o'clock, this afternoon, and headed immediately up the Solent for the Southampton dock.

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## NOTICE TO CONSUMERS

This is to advise that the *St. Paul* Pacific has arrived from the United Kingdom, only entered at Customs and cargo discharged. From now on, the *St. Paul* will be able to deliver goods from the United Kingdom to the Pacific coast.

## SURVEYOR DIES